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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Michael Gauselmann  
Serial No: 09/491,779 Art Unit: 3711  
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Title: METHOD FOR OPERATING A COIN ACTUATED  
ENTERTAINMENT AUTOMAT  
Examiner: Dolores R. Collins

September 28, 2005

Attorney's Docket No.: ADP231T1

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P.O. Box 1450  
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SIR:

This is in response to an Office Action of September 13, 2005. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

IN THE CLAIMS: